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Paid-up Capital, \$5,000,000 Dollars.  
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**COVENANT OF DIRECTORS.**  
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On Current Deposit Account at the rate of 1 per cent. per annum on the daily balance.

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T. JACKSON, Chief Manager.

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No. 1, Queen's Road East.

Hongkong, February 27, 1878.

### CHARTERED BANK OF INDIA, AUSTRALIA, AND CHINA.

CAPITAL, £200,000.  
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Local Bills discounted, and interest allowed on Current Accounts and on Deposits for fixed periods on terms which may be ascertained on application.

## NOTICES OF FIRMS.

### CHARTERED BANK OF INDIA, AUSTRALIA & CHINA.

By Order of the Court of Directors, I have today handed over the Management of this BRANCH of the Bank to Mr. WILLIAM FORBES.

R. I. HARPER, Manager.

Hongkong, July 16, 1878.

### NOTICE.

THE Interest and Responsibility of Mr. EDWARD GUNNINGHAM in our Firm ceased on the 31st December last.

RUSSELL & Co.

China, March 8, 1878.

### NOTICE.

THE Interest and Responsibility of Mr. ARTHUR CHART in our Firm ceased on the 31st December last.

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Hongkong, June 18, 1878.

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VEYRON'S FRENCH COFFEE MACHINES, Assorted Sizes, New System, with Automatic Lamp.  
COFFEE ROASTERS, and COFFEE MILLS.  
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CELEBRATED SMOKING MIXTURE,

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HAPPY THOUGHT TOBACCO.

Very Fine MANILA CIGARS, CIGARETTES, &c., &c.

BAGLEY & PERKINS' PORTER, in Hhds. and Kidderkins.

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AMMONIACAL LIQUOR, from Bones.

BONE TAR (a preventive of white ants).

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Packed in Quantities and Packages to suit Customers.

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March 6, 1878.

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Hongkong, July 11, 1878.

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COKE and TAR in Quantities to suit Purchasers, at CHEAP RATES. Apply to

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Hongkong, June 19, 1878.

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Hongkong, June 4, 1878.

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July 18, 1878.

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LADIES' and GENTLEMEN'S RIDING WHIPS.  
CARBOLIC ACID, the best disinfectant.  
PORCELAIN ICE PITCHERS.  
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BASS'S ALE and GUINNESS'S STOUT, bottled by Foster.  
French JAMS.  
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VEGETABLE, FLOWER and LAWN-GRASS SEED.  
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PEARL TOILET SOAP.  
English HAMS.  
FOSTER'S BOTTLED ALE and STOUT.  
SPARKLING BURGUNDY.

CHOICE PORT for Invalids.  
FOSTER'S BOTTLED ALE and STOUT.  
CURACAO, MARASCHINO, and CHARTREUSE.  
HENDRICK'S PERUMERY.  
BASS'S ALE, by Foster, highly recommended for purity, and the extreme Care used in Bottling.

### LANE, CRAWFORD & CO.

Hongkong, July 17, 1878.

## Intimations.

### ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION.

(Incorporated by Royal Charter.)

RATES of Interest allowed on Deposits:  
At 3 months' notice 2 1/2 per Annum.  
" 6 " " 2 1/2 " "  
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D. A. J. CROMBIE, Acting Manager.

Oriental Bank Corporation, Hongkong, July 1, 1878.

### G. FALCONER & Co., WATCH and CHRONOMETER MANUFACTURERS.

AND JEWELLERS.

NAUTICAL INSTRUMENTS, CHARTS AND BOOKS.

46, Queen's Road Central.

Hongkong, June 20, 1878.

### CHINA TRADERS' INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE Twelfth Ordinary MEETING of the SHAREHOLDERS in the above Company will be held at the Head Office, Victoria, Hongkong, on WEDNESDAY the 31st Instant, at 3 o'clock p.m., for the purpose of presenting the Report of the Directors and Statement of Accounts to 30th April last, and of declaring Dividends. The Transfer BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 17th to the 31st Instant, both days inclusive.

By Order, W. H. RAY, Secretary.

Hongkong, July 9, 1878.

### CHINA TRADERS' INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

THE Following is the SCALE of RATES for SILK, with Average, that will be charged by the above Company at this Port for the present Season.

To the Continent; by Mail Steamers, 1 1/2 per Cent.  
" United Kingdom; do. 1 1/2 " "  
" do. by Holt's & Glen Strs., 1 1/2 " "  
" do. by Castle Strs., 1 1/2 " "  
" do. by other 1st-class Strs., 2 " "

By Order, W. H. RAY, Secretary.

Hongkong, July 1, 1878.

### HONGKONG, CANTON, AND MACAO STEAMBOAT COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE Twenty-fourth Ordinary Half Yearly MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS in the above Company will be held at the Office of the Company, No. 50 A, Queen's Road, on WEDNESDAY, the 24th July instant, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors, together with a Statement of Accounts, declaring a Dividend, and electing Directors and Auditors.

By Order of the Board of Directors, P. A. DI COSTA, Secretary.

Hongkong, July 4, 1878.

### HONGKONG, CANTON, AND MACAO STEAMBOAT COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE.

THE Transfer BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 11th to the 24th day of July instant, both days inclusive.

By Order of the Board of Directors, P. A. DI COSTA, Secretary.

Hongkong, July 4, 1878.

## Intimations.

### CANTON INSURANCE OFFICE.

ADJUSTMENT OF BONDS FOR THE YEAR 1877.

SHAREHOLDERS in the above Office are requested to furnish the Underwritten with a List of their Contribution for the Year ending 31st December, 1877, in order that the distribution of the Profits reserved for Contribution may be arranged. Returns not rendered prior to the 31st August next, will be adjusted by the Office, and no Claims or Alterations will be subsequently admitted.

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Agents.

Hongkong, July 12, 1878.

## NOTICE.

THE OFFICES of the Undersigned have been temporarily REMOVED to the Premises in DUNDRELL STREET, formerly occupied by Messrs. MORRIS & Co.

LANDSTEIN & Co.

Hongkong, July 15, 1878.

## NOTICE.

OFFICE OF THE SHANGHAI STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, IN LIQUIDATION.

A FIFTH RETURN of CAPITAL at the Rate of TWO and ONE-HALF TAELS per SHARE will be made to Shareholders of Record on 6th July. Payable at the Office of the Liquidators, on MONDAY, the 15th July.

Warrants will then be delivered by the Undersigned to Shareholders, or their lawful representatives, on presentation of Share Certificates for Endorsement.

The Transfer BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 6th to the 15th July, inclusive.

By Order, RUSSELL & Co., Liquidators.

Shanghai, July 4, 1878.

## CAUTION TO THE PUBLIC!

DR. BRIGHT'S PHOSPHODYNE.

WHEREAS it has become known to the Proprietors of Dr. BRIGHT'S PHOSPHODYNE that a Medicine, emanating from an unscrupulous London firm, is exported to India and China, and is sold on the same terms as Dr. BRIGHT'S PHOSPHODYNE, they feel it due to the public to specially caution them against this compound and request their most careful attention to the following distinctive characteristics of Dr. BRIGHT'S PHOSPHODYNE:

1st.—That Dr. BRIGHT'S PHOSPHODYNE is sold only in cases.

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N.B.—Beware of DR. BRIGHT'S PHOSPHODYNE, and do not be persuaded to take any useless and possibly dangerous substitutes.

## Auctions.

### GENERAL WEEKLY SALE.

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. will sell by Public Auction, in their Sales Rooms, Praya, on

### FRIDAY,

the 19th July, 1878, at Noon,—

41 Boxes Australian Peas, Mustard, Sauces Assorted, Confectionery, Electroplated Table, Dessert and Tea Spoons, and Forks, Butter Coolers, Writing Ink, Bellis Wool, Cotton Socks, Penknives, &c., &c., &c.

An Invoice of very Good and Hand-some Crystal Centre-pieces.

6 Cases each 3 dozen Finest Devonshire Sparkling Cider.

Hongkong, July 16, 1878.

## To Let.

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NO. 4, PECHILI TERRACE, ELGIN STREET.

Apply to

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.

Hongkong, July 15, 1878.

## TO LET.

THE DWELLING HOUSE No. 6, Mosque Terrace.

THREE OFFICES, in Club Chambers, The BUNGALOW, No. 24, Gage Street.

Apply to

DOUGLAS LAFRAIR & Co.

Hongkong, July 12, 1878.

## TO LET.

THE HOUSES on MARINE LOT 65, formerly known as the Blue Houses, situate on Praya East.

HOUSE No. 2, Praya East. The basement, together with First Floor, or separate if desired, with possession on the 1st July.

HOUSE No. 3, Praya East. The whole House or in Flats, with possession on the 1st of August.

As also,

The DWELLING HOUSE to the Eastward of Pier at Wanchai. May be had as an entire Dwelling or in Apartments of two or three Rooms to suit convenience, with immediate possession. Fine spacious Verandah looking on to Harbour.

TO LET.

FIRST CLASS GRANITE GODOWNS, attached to Blue Houses at Wanchai, MARINE LOT 65.

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MEYER & Co.

Hongkong, June 21, 1878.

## TO LET.

HOUSE No. 2, Queen's Road Central, with Godowns attached.

Houses No. 2, and 9, Seymour Terrace.

DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co.

Hongkong, January 4, 1878.

## DENTAL NOTICE.

DR. ROGERS begs to intimate that he has RETURNED, and is now ready to receive Patients at No. 7, ARBUTHNOT ROAD.

Hongkong, July 4, 1878.

## Shipping.

### Steamers.

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES.

PAQUEBOT POSTE FRANCAIS.

The Company's Steamship "TIBRE,"

Commandant DE GRAS, will be despatched for YOKOHAMA shortly after the arrival of the next French Mail.

H. DU POUY, Agent.

Hongkong, July 8, 1878.

## NOTICE.

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES.

PAQUEBOT POSTE FRANCAIS.

The Company's Steamship "PELLO,"

Commandant PASQUANZI, will be despatched for SHANGHAI shortly after her arrival from Europe.

H. DU POUY, Agent.

Hongkong, July 8, 1878.

## NOTICE.

FOR NAGASAKI, WLADEWOSTOCK AND NICOLAJEFSK.







you to the office of Minister Resident near my Court.

"I trust that the friendly relations happily existing between my country and Peru may be still more cemented by the satisfactory discharge of the office with which you are entrusted."

At the conclusion of the audience, Dr. Elmore was again conveyed to the railway station in one of the Court carriages, on his return to Yokohama. His Excellency will probably leave for China within the next fortnight, as his presence is necessary there to assist in the carrying out of the recent treaty between Peru and China.

**CRIMINAL RESPONSIBILITY.**—An asylum physician writes to the *Times*:—"I should like Dr. Forbes Winslow and the other philanthropists who are so anxious to get lunatic murderers 'acquitted on the ground of insanity' to explain to the public the means of protection they would afford to the innocent victims of these pests of society. No doubt, in a State well ordered on sound physiological laws, we should not have lunatic murderers; they would not be propagated. Meanwhile, however, they exist, and from time to time they take away lives much more valuable than their own. The community requires protection against them and their evil deeds; but the tendency of certain physicians seems to lean towards protection of the murderers. Many an insane man knows well enough the difference between right and wrong, and can calculate the consequences of his acts. An insane patient under my own care some time ago, who had homicidal inclinations, used to argue deliberately that she could commit murder with impunity, being insane and under certificate. Had she committed murder, a jury would undoubtedly have acquitted her 'on the ground of insanity.' Yet this patient had as keen a knowledge of the difference between right and wrong as any one I have ever met; but she preferred the wrong. She would have committed murder under uncontrollable impulse, it will be said; but cannot the same be said for sane murderers, if, indeed, such beings exist? It is high time, it seems to me, that the growing sympathy for the murderers should be exchanged for sympathy for their victims. It ought to be laid down as a maxim that no man who commits murder shall escape the penalty of the law, whatever his mental state may be. No plea of insanity ought to be admitted, and no medical experts allowed to present themselves as advocates in the witness-box in criminal cases. Punishment by law is intended to deter from crime, and by doing so, to afford protection to the orderly and law-abiding classes. These classes surely have a claim to demand the effectual repression of crime. But the strenuous efforts now so often made to procure the acquittal of murderers are a direct encouragement to crime, and they entail a horrible danger to society."

#### INQUEST.

**THE HOLYWOOD ROAD MURDER.**—The inquest in this case was resumed to-day at the Magistrate's before the Coroner (C. V. Creagh, Esq.) and the following gentlemen as a jury, Messrs H. Z. Just, F. Panizza, and P. H. Spield.

Cheong Si Lou said she was an inmate of the brothel at 48 Hollywood Road. On the 14th instant, I was asleep in the front room of the second floor of the brothel. I have seen the prisoner once before when he came to visit the deceased. I know nothing about the quarrel between the deceased and the accused.

Cheong Aping, P. C. 304, said:—On the morning of the 14th, at about 12 o'clock, I heard a noise in the Hollywood Road. On going to the corner of the road I saw the accused running towards me, with the knife in his hand. He turned up Fat Hing Street, when within 7 or 8 cheongs of me. The witness in Court (Yuen Afat) was about 6 cheongs behind him. I ran to the other end of Fat Hing street to cut him off. 'Accused went under a verandah of a house in the Queen's Road, and I caught him there. He had still the knife in his right hand, and I caught hold of his wrist. The witness Yuen Afat immediately came up and said, 'This is the man who stabbed the woman.' I asked him if it was so, and he said 'yes.' I told him I was going to take him to the Station, and he said 'Go on.' I passed the house 48 Hollywood Road and saw the deceased lying on the floor. I told another constable to take the deceased to the Hospital, and then took the prisoner to the Charge-room.

Long Li Chee, declared, stated:—I was on duty in the charge-room when the accused was brought in about 12 o'clock on the afternoon of the 14th instant by P. C. 304. He was charged with attempted murder, and then looked up in a cell. About 12 o'clock he was brought back to the charge-room by No. 10 European Constable. The Inspector told me to caution him and I did so, giving him the usual caution. The accused then said that he wished to say something. The following is his statement:—About 5 years ago the deceased was at Macao, and I paid \$120 to her mother to redeem her, and in the first month of last year (12th February, 1877) I took her from Macao to Yow-mah-tee. On the 7th January this year the deceased went to the brothel herself, and I often went to see her. I sometimes advised her to give up being a prostitute, and come and live with me. On the morning of the 14th instant about 10 o'clock, I went to the brothel and saw the deceased. She said to me, 'I have no place for you to sit down now, and if I am engaged I have to borrow a room from another prostitute.' I said to her, 'If you have got no place, give me two or three dollars to pay my expenses back to Macao.' Some of the girls in the house said, 'She does not like you, and does not want to go and live with you; you are not ashamed to ask her for money?' I felt ashamed and went out on purpose to buy a knife, intending to kill her, because she did not care for me. I bought the knife and went back and stabbed her. I don't know how many times. After I had stabbed her I intended to come to the Station myself, but being a stranger here I did not know the way, so ran out and gave myself up to the looking. It was quite by accident that I stabbed the girl.

A very neat plan of the ground floor of the house was put in, drawn by P. C. Richard Brown No. 87.

Inspector Coombs then gave evidence as to taking the charge, and produced the sketch of the ground floor before mentioned, and the pawn-tickets. He said:—I have made every enquiry as to the cause of quarrel between the deceased and the accused, but have failed to discover any evidence. I am still enquiring into the case.

The accused was then cautioned and asked if he wished to make any statement, and he said that what the interpreter had said was quite correct, and he did not wish to say anything more.

The Jury returned a verdict of wilful murder against the accused. Mr. Panizza explained the evidence to Mr. Spield.

#### Police Intelligence.

**THEFT FROM THE "KINKLAND."**  
Yun Ahk, Ng Afong, and Pun Ahnung, fishermen, and Henry Mayo, William Castlin, Walter Cluffingford, and William Gregory, former British barque *Kinkland*, were charged with being concerned in stealing some rice from the said vessel. It would appear from the evidence adduced that the first three defendants were observed by two coolies who were set to watch the ship by the consignees of the cargo (the *Tak Mee Hong*) under the bows of the vessel, and 7 bags of rice were seen to be taken into their boat. On the coolies approaching two of the men in the boat jumped overboard, and the third was subsequently caught. The board and were subsequently caught. The 5th defendant (William Castlin) was proved to be the man who gave four months' hard labour; the first three defendants were sentenced to two months' hard labour each, and the others were discharged as there was nothing to connect them with the offence.

**REASON OF THE STAMP ACT.**  
Lum Ahkong, Master of the *Wing Chan* shop, No. 11 Battery Road, West Point, was charged on four summonses with giving receipts for sums exceeding \$10 without affixing a receipt stamp. The defendant said he was a new-comer and did not know the rule. Fined \$50, or one month's imprisonment.

Chung Sing, a shopman, was fined \$15 for a similar offence.

**ASSAULT.**  
Tang Ahing, a tailor, was charged with assaulting Mary Andrews, wife of a soldier belonging to the 74th Highlanders. Complainant stated that defendant had often been employed by her, and he came to her quarters at 11 o'clock on the 15th instant. Complainant had bought a clock from the defendant on the 8th April for \$3, and she had paid him \$2 on account. She gave him the balance (\$1) on the 22nd April. When he came to complainant's quarters on the 15th instant he demanded some money which complainant owed him, and because she could not pay him, he shoved her on the floor and took away the clock by force. Inspector Batten stated that defendant came to the Station and reported that he had taken away a clock which the complainant had bought but not paid for. Shortly afterwards the complainant came to the Station, and charged the defendant with assault and stealing the clock. Defendant said he was told to take the clock away. Fined \$2.

#### SUPREME COURT.

**IN SUMMARY JURISDICTION.**  
(Before His Honor James Russell, Esq., Acting Puisne Judge.)  
July 18, 1878.

Stetting v. Roop, \$274 40.—This was a claim for wages (\$174 40) as a carpenter on board the British barque *The Frederick*, and (\$100) the value of some tools and clothing unlawfully detained by the defendant. Mr. Dennis appeared for the plaintiff, and Mr. Wotton for the defendant. Jacob Burgen was re-examined and continued to relate the ill-treatment to which he had been subjected.

Frank Koz, another seaman, was then called and gave corroborative evidence, although he varied somewhat in his statement as to the wages he was to get. The Court adjourned at 12 o'clock, and on resuming at 2 o'clock the examination was continued. The witness was then cross-examined by Mr. Wotton. He said if any one said the cut on Raab's eye was given with a blunt shot it would be false. It was done with the auger handle; whilst he was having at the capstan. I have heard the Captain order the mates to strike the men. I made no complaint at Kobe because two men did go on shore to get satisfaction for all of us and got no satisfaction for themselves. Burke struck me the most. I have seen the Captain send Burke and the mate to strike the men. I left the ship at Anjer on account of the second mate (Burke) trying to have improper connection with me. I went up the hill and was found there and taken before the Governor; there is no British Consul there. I did not go alone, the cook went with me. I could swim two miles to get clear of the ship.

By His Lordship.—The natives asked us to get the two days I was ashore. The Captain got me something just before I was sent on board. I tried to escape a second time. There are a good many things I should like to state in connection with this voyage, but I cannot remember them just now. In one way the 2nd mate's treatment of the carpenter was good and in the other way it was the reverse. The man desired his liberty as much as I desired his tools and money. The bread that we had was taken away.

John Archibald was then called; he said:—I am a Scotchman. I have always been in English ships and have been 17 years at sea. I have been acting cook since the ship left Anjer. The ship was right except until the second mate Burke came on board at Bermuda. (Witness here related what had been already stated by the other witnesses with regard to the bad treatment the carpenter was subjected to.) On the evening we sailed from Bermuda, I stood at the galley door all night watching the man being knocked about. The first mate took out a bludgeon from his pocket, and struck George Raab over the head with it. The blow took effect over the head with the mate saying as he struck him 'Lift, you—lift.' The second mate then came along and took Raab's hat. Afterwards, when setting sail I saw the second mate striking Raab with an auger handle across the back. I saw the second mate strike half a dozen or more of the men with the auger handle, later on in the night. A week afterwards I saw Raab very badly used again. The mate then struck him in the face with his fist, knocked him down on the deck, and then commenced kicking him. Raab fled from his mouth and said, 'The mate ill-used Raab on this occasion because he did not promptly answer a call he made for him and came ultimately with his clothes in disorder. Raab was not permitted to go below to rest for a fortnight. He tried to jump overboard once; he was detained. About a week after he got below he died. I do not know what Raab died from. He was about 16 years when he came on board, but he got thin as it is. He was being examined when we were at Kobe.

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**China.**  
WENCHOW.  
Our correspondent says an enquiry into the identity of a vessel detained on suspicion of being the long-missing *torcha Ma-darun*, was held at Wenchow on the 1st and 2nd inst. before H. M. Acting Consul H. E. the Taitai, and an expert Prefect sent from Foochow to assist. The plan set up was that the boat now detained is not the *Ma-darun*, but an old houseboat bought from Messrs. Hedge & Co., of Foochow, in 1875. Mr. Hedge was brought from Foochow, and gave evidence.—N. O. D. Agents.

#### Japan.

The steamer *Pendo* made her appearance from Hakodate during the week with a full cargo, and we hear that she is to continue running on the coast. It is to be hoped that the Mitsui Bishi Company will see the advisability of conforming their rates to the requirements of native shippers, and thus prevent an opposition springing up which might prove seriously embarrassing to them.

The Lighthouse Department's tender, the *Miji Maru*, with the Chief Engineer and staff on board has left for Kamsasaki for the purpose of fixing in the lantern of the Lighthouse there a red ray which will show over the *Saratoga Spit* buoy, and thus warn ships of its position at night, in the same way that the position of the Plymouth Rocks is denoted at night by the Lighthouse on Sagami point. This will not only be a great boon to all vessels working their way up to this anchorage, but will prevent the buoy being run down and sunk, as has happened ere this. While the *Miji Maru* is down the Bay the buoys in the vicinity of the Lighthouse will be overhauled.

The *Higo News* announces that Mr. T. R. Shervinton is to be superintendent of the new railway extension works at Kito.

Rumors are current in France of the appointment of Mr. Godeaux, now Consul-general at Shanghai, to the office of minister plenipotentiary at Peking.

A Chinese consulate has been established in Higo and Osaka, under the charge of Mr. Riu-jin Ken.

#### (Japan Gazette.)

It is reported that the German barque *Hammonia* is chartered to load with wheat for Amoy.

The shipment of rice to Hongkong by the P. M. steamer *China* to-day was 4,381 bags or 4,340 piculs.

During the month of June the daily average of vessels on the berth in this port was nine, and of vessels in harbour twenty-one.

The first officer and nine of the shipwrecked crew of the American schooner *E. B. Dufrenoy* (Captain Cherry) arrived in Yokohama yesterday (July 6th) from Hakodate, and are at present staying at the Temperance Hall. The schooner still lies on the beach where she was run ashore in Jap. Bay on the 24th of May last, and, though little damaged, is full of water.

#### NEWS BY THE AMERICAN MAIL.

The following telegrams are extracted from San Francisco papers brought to Yokohama by the O. & O. steamship *Cosmos*:

London, June 14.—At Burnley 603 looms employing 1,000 operatives have resumed work within the past two days. At Blackburn the mediation committee of operatives interviewed the head of the Masters Association, who promised to reopen the mills immediately if half the operatives would resume work at the reduction.

A large meeting of weavers held at Blackburn to-day was unanimously resolved to resume work at 10 per cent. reduction. It was also arranged to hold meetings of employees at various mills throughout East Lancashire, on Monday, to ascertain the general feeling on the subject.

London, June 14.—The Press Association is assured on good authority that it is untrue that the Government will decide upon an early dissolution of Parliament, but it is understood in Parliamentary circles that the proposition has been seriously discussed.

London, June 14.—A Berlin correspondent says:—Bismarck, replying to Andrassy at the Congress, expressed a belief in the success of the Congress; and a particular desire to see harmony established. The Austrian Ministers also anticipate an early solution of the questions at issue.

London, June 15.—Lord Salisbury, before going to Berlin, conferred with leading bankers about the position and capabilities of Turkey, with a view to the establishment of a Financial Commission at Constantinople similar to that now existing in Egypt.

The Colonial office wished Lord Dufferin to remain in Canada as Governor-General, but is declined.

London, June 15.—A Berlin correspondent says:—The sole question which must threaten the success of the Congress is the organization of Roumelia. England, with the support of France, Austria, and Turkey, and possibly Italy, will advocate such organization as will make Roumelia the bulwark of Constantinople. For this purpose the Russian element should be totally excluded and dominance given to the Greek. A rupture would be almost inevitable in consequence of a prolonged discussion of this point.

Berlin, June 15.—At the formal opening of the Congress Plenipotentiaries were in Court dress. Hereafter they will meet in ordinary attire.

Bismarck will leave Berlin in about ten days, and neither Bismarck nor Gortschakoff will await the end of the deliberation. The final details have been entrusted to the Second and Third Plenipotentiaries.

Constantinople, June 15.—Mehmet Ali, Turkish Plenipotentiary, made his official call yesterday.

Mention is made in an Anglo-Turkish understanding—a kind of supplement to the Anglo-Russian agreement. It secures the paramount influence of England, not only in Asia Minor but in Constantinople.

London, June 15.—The amount of billion withdrawn from the Bank of England on balance to-day was \$112,000.

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London, June 17.—Of seventy-five meetings of operatives in the Blackburn region to-day fifty resolved to go to work at a reduction of wages. Twenty-one then voted not to resume, and four reached no decision. A large number of operatives throughout Lancashire resumed work to-day at the full reduction of wages. The meetings at Burnley were very thinly attended, and the general opinion is the strike is ended.

London, June 17.—James Thompson & Son, corn-millers, Wakefield, England, have failed. Liabilities, \$450,000.

London, June 17.—The questions which threaten the success of the Congress are believed to be the claim of Antivari to Montenegro; the position of Roumelia in relation to Turkey and of the administrative and governmental organization of Roumelia. Bismarck will be yielded to the personal wishes of the Czar. Russia will accept the Donbuz in exchange for territorial concessions in Armenia. This will not meet opposition from England. The question of war indemnity will be settled by the appointment of a Commission to collect Turkish revenues and pay over a certain proportion to Russia annually, or to equalize such proportion by foreign loan and pay Russia's claims in bulk, in all these speculations no account is taken of possible opposition from the Turks themselves.

London, June 17.—A despatch from Cape Town of May 29th says:—The *Kaffir* have broken up and abandoned Pirla Bush. One Kaffir Chief has been so far subdued that a portion of the troops will be sent to Natal as a precaution against trouble with the Zulus.

Berlin, June 17.—The Congress meets at two o'clock this afternoon.

Berlin, June 17.—It is stated in some quarters that the documents piled in London on the 18th instant contained the proposals submitted by Russia and rejected by England, and that their publication was procured by the Russians to prove that they are not repugnant to English public opinion, and thus to limit the concessions English Representatives may demand in the Congress.

London, June 17.—Detailed accounts confirm the collapse of the cotton strike, but it is evident that a strong minority of the operatives still favor resistance, the Masters Executive Committee has resolved as a precautionary measure, to recommend a reservation of power to renew the lock-out on the shortest notice.

Blackburn, June 17.—The Masters' Executive Committee resolved to re-open all the mills on Wednesday. The spinners and carders are still obstinate.

London, June 17.—The Duke of Richmond and Gordon, Lord President of the Council, replying to Earl Granville in the House of Lords, boldly said the memorandum of agreement between England and Russia, published recently, was surreptitiously procured through some person having access to confidential papers. As an explanation of the Government's policy, he said it was incomplete, and therefore inaccurate. The Government would, at the earliest moment, give the fullest information.

Berlin, June 17.—The report received from Vienna of a mediated attempt on the life of Crown Prince Frederick William caused some sensation here to-day.

One hundred and thirty Socialists were arrested to-night at Nivoli Biergarten, near this city.

Lord Beaconsfield had an interview with Gortschakoff previous to the meeting of the Congress yesterday.

Liverpool, June 17.—Two hundred and twenty-two Mormons sailed on Saturday last bound for Salt Lake City.

Berlin, June 17.—Leaders of the National Liberals, in view of the approaching elections, have issued a manifesto declaring the party will support all proposals for the protection of order which do not jeopardize the permanent guarantees of liberty.

London, June 17.—A Paris letter says:—Some apprehension prevails lest a new attempt be made to put a reactionary Ministry in control of the Government for the purpose of influencing the coming Senatorial elections. Such a step would be the last desperate effort of the Monarchy to prevent the firm establishment of a Republic, and would leave the question of revision of the constitution open three years longer. Unless some such way, the Republicans are sure to get a majority in the Senate. It is impossible to predict whether President MacMahon will lend himself to such intrigues, because his character is still understood. The most significant fact giving ground for Republican fears is the dictatorial attitude adopted by the War Minister toward the Left in the latter part of the session. Conservative newspapers have also been publishing threatening articles. The Conservatives rely on German support in consequence of the Socialist movement.

Constantinople, June 17.—Baggage belonging to Russian headquarters was removed from Stefano to-day. It is not known whether General Potleben is moving north or toward the centre of the Russian line, but the latter direction is thought more probable.

Berlin, June 17.—The session of the Congress to-day lasted nearly three hours. The question of the admission of Greece was definitely brought forward, but no decision reached. The question has assumed more importance than at first expected. Confidence in a peaceful result, which will assure the legitimate influence in the East of the Powers principally interested, is increasing. An understanding between Russia and Austria is considered certain.

London, June 17.—A correspondent at Berlin telegraphs:—At present England, Russia and Austria are actively engaged in discussion; whilst Germany, France and Italy—the two first named, because of mutual fear—maintain a strict reserve. Greece will present her claim to Epirus, Rhodes, Samos and Crete. England does not and cannot agree to the Congress having authority to dispose of territory which Turkey has not agreed to surrender. Russia will have to go far beyond the limit of concessions indicated in published documents. The next sitting of the Congress will take place on Wednesday. Lord Beaconsfield, previous to quitting London, received a menacing letter. He sent it to the Berlin police.

Berlin, June 17.—Yesterday's sitting of the Congress was somewhat stormy. The English delegates, supported by Count Andrassy, declared it impossible even to consider the proposition for the Russian occupation of Bulgaria after the signing of the treaty.

#### IN MEMORIAM.

(China Review.)

We deeply regret to have to record the death of William F. Mayers, which took place at Shanghai on the 24th March, while he was on his way from Peking to England on leave of absence. Beyond a slight feeling of indisposition, naturally attributed to overwork during his last few days in Peking, he was to all appearance quite well on leaving that city. But the fatal typhus had already laid its hand on him. At Tientsin he was able to go about his business as usual, but complained of feverish symptoms, which increased, but not to an extent to create alarm, on his arrival at Taku. While going thence to Shanghai the fever increased rapidly, and he was carried ashore in that settlement in a delirious state from which he never recovered, but breathed his last on the following day.

The writer of these lines has had the privilege of being an intimate friend of Mr. Mayers since his first arrival in China as a student interpreter twenty years ago. During this long intercourse he has ever had reason to appreciate how worthy Mr. Mayers was of the respect and the admiration in which he was held by all classes of people, native and foreign, who knew him or knew of him, and how truly deserving he was of that affectionate esteem which was felt for him by those who were more intimately acquainted with him; no less has he had cause to know the sincerity and warm-heartedness of Mr. Mayers' friendship, his thoughtful and unselfish readiness to help along any seekers after knowledge, to give a timely word of encouragement to the dependent, or to assist to the utmost of his power any who were in difficulties. Mr. Mayers' staunch probity and scrupulous fidelity are so well known amongst all who have had transactions with him, official or otherwise, that they have become matters of notoriety from Peking to Canton.

We do not say that Mr. Mayers had no faults, no enemies, or no enemies; to say so would be to say that he was more than human. Nevertheless we feel that in saying what we have said of him, we have given expression to no undeserved panegyric, but spoken the sober truth. Such sentiments found expression in Shanghai in the general eulogium which was evinced to participate in those last sad offices which it is in the power of man to perform for his fellow.

As an author Mr. Mayers' comprehensive mind, the ready ability with which he grasped his subject, his patient and assiduous research, and his pleasant style of writing—neither descending to low factiousness to catch the multitude nor stalling on lofty stilts of erudition to blind the uninitiated—have given value and lustre to his writings. In earlier years, as a pioneer of travel on the rivers of Kwangtung he published an account of a *Trip up the West River*, and as a contributor was one of the chief bulwarks of *Notes and Queries on China and Japan*; he also shared in the authorship of the *Treaty Ports*. Since then he has published the *Chinese Student's Manual* and the *Chinese Government*, two works which stand as monuments of indefatigable labour, profound knowledge, and accurate observation. He also compiled *Treaties between the Empire of China and Foreign Powers*, and was a frequent contributor to first-class London periodicals. Lastly his able pen has taken a prominent part in the pages of the *China Review*.

Of Mr. Mayers' official career and diplomatic labours we will say nothing; they are better known, and it may be hoped well appreciated, in other quarters.

In a private letter dated Peking 7th March, Mr. Mayers wrote as follows:—"Unless the unforeseen, which always happens, should prevent, we shall leave Peking on the 16th inst., and Shanghai on the 29th, reaching England, we hope, in the 2nd week in May." Alas the unforeseen did happen, and that mind, on the 7th March so cheerful at the prospect of joining the family circle in the home of his parents, on the 24th was no more.

His death, we say it in all sincerity feeling it to be a literal truth, is a loss to his country, a loss to China, a loss to the world.

TRELO, RAMPSON.

Canton, May, 1878.

**THE POLYTECHNIC INSTITUTION AT SHANGHAI.**

(China Review.)

Second Report of the Chinese Polytechnic Institution and Reading Rooms, Shanghai, October 1875 to March 1878.

About five years ago Consul Medhurst conceived the idea that the opening of a Reading Room for Chinese would tend to diffuse enlightened ideas among the Chinese population of Shanghai. His suggestion was taken up, a public meeting was held, a committee formed and subscriptions flowed in liberally. Mr. Fryer, to whom indeed next to Mr. Medhurst all the success has been obtained is due, then proposed to develop the Reading Room into a Polytechnic Institution and School of Art. This idea was vigorously supported by Chinese merchants and officials and notably Mr. Hui, but the exertions made in England to induce manufacturers of machinery and of philosophical apparatus to send specimens for exhibition led to fantastically exaggerated reports being spread in home papers, which did more harm than good. A building was meanwhile erected in 1876, supplying ample accommodation for a Reading Room, a Lecture Room and a Library; and a Popular Science Monthly, in Chinese, was started by Mr. Fryer, notices of which have appeared occasionally in the *China Review*. This "Chinese Scientific Magazine" has been the one great success achieved by the Polytechnic Institution. Two volumes are now lying before us, formed of articles on all branches of science written in intelligible easy style, copies of which have found their way all over China, and, supplied as they are with illustrations, are sure to remove many prejudices and go far to pave the way for the introduction of European science and civilization in China. But as to the other branches of the Polytechnic Institution the Report now before us reveals no such success. As regards the Reading Room the Report says "this room has not met with much success as regards the number of frequenters," and no wonder, for regarding the Library we are informed "at present the Library at the Polytechnic only consists of a few hundred volumes." Regarding the Lecture Room all we can learn from the Report is that "the difficulty of the language makes it almost impossible to find foreigners able and willing to lecture in Chinese," which is not saying much to the credit of Shanghai Sino-logists, but that nevertheless the first lecture was held in June 1877 to an audience of about 60 persons, and arrangements are now being made to organize a course of elementary lectures.

There is evidently an immense power for good in this Institution, and considering the short time it has been established and the difficulty of finding out by practical experience the best way of working it, so as to ensure the approval of both Chinese and foreigners, we think the Institution has done very well so far, and deserves the warmest support of the public. Much credit is also due to the energetic Chairman of the Institution, Mr. W. V. Drummond, who has been urging upon the Committee the expediency of engaging a teacher from Europe to live on the premises and conduct scientific and technical classes, Chemistry and Mineralogy appearing to him the most desirable subjects to begin with. We have no hesitation in saying that we decidedly think Chemistry to be a science which would be most likely to recommend itself to the Chinese, and that a thoroughly competent Professor of Chemistry, willing not only to come out to Shanghai, but to give a few years to the study of Chinese, so as to be able to lecture in the Chinese language, would have no lack of students. From a mercantile point of view also it would seem that Chemistry, applied to the natural products of China, might in time lead to a valuable expansion of the export trade of China. We only wonder Hongkong has never attempted to found a Polytechnic Institution for the benefit of its own inhabitants.

A GREAT nomadic movement is just now going on in Australia. The district known as the Northern Territory, which lies between the Gulf of Carpentaria and the Indian Ocean, is to be colonized by an expedition from South Australia, and flocks and herds in large numbers are being driven more than a thousand miles to the new settlements. Mr. Giles, whose experience is based upon many years' travel, and whose work we have before referred to, is in charge of one of the chief parties, which takes some 2,000 head of cattle; while flocks of sheep, each numbering 4,000, are also being driven steadily forward. The difficulties of the movement are so great that it would seem almost impossible to sustain animal life on the march; but with careful organization and attention to the routes along which water can be had, the multitudes of cattle are slowly working their way in safety. Stony deserts, and stretches of country where water is not obtainable for 200 or 300 miles, have been successfully crossed, and the percentage of loss has hitherto been very small. Cattle, sheep, and horses have been reduced, indeed, to such poor condition that they could hardly carry their own weight, but as soon as a creek was reached with water and pasturage, a short halt restored the poor beasts to vigorous life. No undue delays were allowed, however; all the stronger animals being picked out and driven over northwards, while the weak ones were left to recruit their strength and to be brought on with the next party. The horses, strangely enough, suffered extremely from the hard-ship of the march, but they were finally kept in perfect order in this way. Stays having been served out to the little band of men with the cattle, the teams dashed on for 60 or 70 miles, got ready a camp, packed provisions, &c., and waited until the slowly moving flocks came in. All were quickly mustered, and then the move was repeated. In this way the horses were able to do that which was required of them, and the hardships of the men employed were much lessened. It is reckoned that seven months will be consumed before the final goal is reached; but the enterprise is such a daring one that if twice the time elapses before the new runs are opened out, the sacrifices will not have been too costly. Immense tracts of grass-land, larger than European farmers can imagine, and lying fallow in Northern Australia, and the 20,000 or 30,000 sheep and 10,000 cattle, now plodding their way over an unknown country, will give a real value to the district. However much the Australians may waste their time and substance in absurd political struggles and domestic quarrels, they cannot be accused of lacking energy in inland colonisation.

#### Quotations.

HONGKONG, July 18, 1878.

OPUM.—New Patna, cash... \$600 a 602½  
" credit...  
" Old Patna, cash... None  
" credit... 3/10  
" New Benares, cash, 570 a 572½  
" credit...  
" Old Benares, cash, None  
" credit...  
" New Malwa, cash, 802½  
" credit, 807  
" Allowance Tails, 12 a 20

#### Exchange.

Bank, on demand, ... 3/8½  
" 30 days sight, ... 3/8½  
" 60 months sight, ... 3/10½  
" credit, ... 3/10½  
" Documentary, 6 months sight, 8/10½  
" Bombay, demand Rupees, ... 25½  
" Calcutta, ... 25½  
" Shanghai, demand, ... 72½  
" 30 days, ... 72½  
" Bar Silver, 17 dwts. B., ... 109½  
" Sycee, ... 8½  
" Mexican, ... 1 p.c. pm.  
" Gold Loan, ... 25.50  
" English sovereigns, ... 5.15  
" Australian sovereigns, ... 5.15  
" Discount, ... 9 to 9½

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Guthrie Traders' Ins. Co., \$1,450  
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Guthrie Insurance Co., \$280  
North China Ins. Co., \$1,000  
S. K. Fire Ins. Co., \$200  
China Fire Ins. Co., \$210  
S. K. & W. Dock Co., 16 ½ prem.  
S. K. O. & M. S. Boat Co., \$4 prem.  
Hongkong Steam Navigation, \$1.21  
Hongkong Gas Co., \$80  
China Sugar Refining Co., 40 ½ prem.  
Chinese Imperial Loan, \$103.10  
Do. of 1877, 41.07

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(Taken at Messrs. Palmer & Co.'s Premium Queen's Road.)

HONGKONG, July 18, 1878.

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Do. 1 P.M. ... 30.000  
Do. 4 P.M. ... 29.996  
THERMOMETER—9 A.M. ... 84°  
Do. 1 P.M. ... 91  
Do. 4 P.M. ... 91  
Do. (Wet bulb) 9 A.M. 81  
Do. Do. 1 P.M. 80  
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Do. Maximum ... 92  
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REQUISITES, PATENT MEDI-  
CINES AND PERFUMES.

Prescriptions Dispensed with Carefulness,  
and Prompt Attention.

PRAYA WEST, HONGKONG,  
Near the Canton Steamer's Wharf.  
Hongkong, July 13, 1878.

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PHOTOGRAPHER.

by appointment, to  
H. E. SIR ARTHUR KENNEDY,  
H. E. ADMIRAL ALFRED P. RYDER,  
and to  
H. I. H. THE GRAND DUKE ALEXIS  
OF RUSSIA.

THE above has pleasure in informing the  
public of Hongkong that he has ob-  
tained the assistance of Mr. Griffith (has  
many years manager and principal operator  
to Mr. Saunders of Shanghai), and having  
carefully arranged the light of his New  
Studio and secured the newest and best  
appliances for obtaining the highest excel-  
lence in his work, he is now ready to pro-  
duce all the Latest Novelties in Photo-  
graphic Portraiture. A large and varied  
Assortment of Views always ready. Superior  
Enlargements made at shortest notice.

STUDIO, QUEEN'S ROAD,  
Nearly opposite The Hongkong Hotel.  
Hongkong, July 9, 1878.

IMPERIAL MARITIME CUSTOMS.

CONTRACT FOR THE SUPPLY OF LIGHT-  
HOUSE OIL.

SEALED TENDERS will be received  
at this Office till July 31st next, for the  
Supply of 5000 Gallons of VERMILION  
OIL for use at the LIGHT-HOUSES in the  
Southern Division of China, for the  
Year 1878. Printed forms of Tender for  
each of the 8 following kinds of Oil can be  
had at this Office on application, viz:

1st TEA-NUT OIL.  
2nd PEANUT OIL.  
3rd RAPESEED OIL.

The Oil to be perfectly pure and un-  
mixed, of the best quality and color, and  
quite free from all impurities and sedi-  
ment, and is to be delivered at the Customs  
Godowns at Amoy in the following quanti-  
ties, viz:

1000 Gallons on or before 1st November next.  
1500 " " " 1st December  
2500 " " " 1st March, 1879.

The Oils as they are delivered will be meas-  
ured at the Customs House and 14 Imperial  
gallons will be taken to weigh 1 pint, and  
each Tender must be accompanied by a  
sample in a clear glass bottle of not less  
quantity than half a pint.

No Tender will be accepted on any other  
forms than those issued from this Office.  
The Covers to be headed "Tender for  
Light-house Oil."

The Commissioner does not pledge him-  
self to accept the lowest or any Tender.

R. B. MOOREHEAD,  
Commissioner of Customs.

CUSTOM HOUSE,  
Amoy, 15th June, 1878. au1

INSURANCES.

QUEEN FIRE INSURANCE  
COMPANY.

THE Undersigned are prepared to grant  
Policies against Fire to the extent of  
\$45,000 on Buildings, or on Goods stored  
therein, at current local rates, subject to a  
Discount of 20% on the Premium.

NORTON & Co.,  
Agents.  
Hongkong, January 1, 1874.

THE SCOTTISH IMPERIAL INSUR-  
ANCE COMPANY.

THE Undersigned having been appointed  
AGENT in Hongkong for the above-  
named Company, is prepared to Grant  
Policies against FIRE on Buildings and  
on Goods to the extent of \$10,000, at the  
usual Rates, subject to an immediate Dis-  
count of 20 per cent.

Attention is invited to a considerable  
reduction in Premium for Life Insurance in  
China.

J. Y. VERNON SHAW,  
General Agent.  
Hongkong, June 1, 1878.

THE CHINA FIRE INSURANCE  
COMPANY, LIMITED.

HEAD OFFICE—HONGKONG.

AGENCIES at all the Treaty Ports of  
China and Japan, and at Singapore,  
Batavia and Penang.

Kinds accepted, and Policies of Insurance  
granted at the rate of Premium current at  
the above mentioned Ports.

NO CHARGE FOR POLICY FEE.

JAS. B. COUGHERIE,  
Secretary.  
Hongkong, November 1, 1874.

NORTH BRITISH & MERCANTILE  
INSURANCE COMPANY.

Incorporated by Royal Charter and  
Special Acts of Parliament.

ESTABLISHED 1809.  
CAPITAL £2,000,000.

THE Undersigned, Agents at Hongkong  
for the above Company, are prepared to  
grant Policies against FIRE, to the  
extent of \$10,000 on any Building, or  
on Merchandise in the same, at the  
usual Rates, subject to a discount of 20  
per cent.

GILMAN & Co.,  
Agents.

Hongkong, July 9, 1878.

## Insurances.

THE LONDON ASSURANCE

INCORPORATED BY ROYAL CHARTER

of  
His Majesty King George The First,  
A. D. 1720.

THE Undersigned having been appointed  
Agents for the above Corporation are  
prepared to grant Insurances as follows:—

Marine Department.  
Policies at current rates payable either  
here, in London or at the principal Ports  
of India, China and Australia.

Fire Department.  
Policies issued for long or short periods at  
current rates. A discount of 20% allowed.

Life Department.  
Policies issued for sums not exceeding  
£5,000 at reduced rates.

HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.  
Hongkong, July 25, 1872.

MANCHESTER FIRE ASSURANCE  
COMPANY OF MANCHESTER  
AND LONDON.

THE Undersigned have been appointed  
Agents for the above Company at  
Hongkong, Canton, Foochow, Shanghai  
and Hankow, and are prepared to grant  
Insurances at current rates.

HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.  
Hongkong, October 14, 1868.

SHEONG ON FIRE INSURANCE  
COMPANY, LIMITED.

CAPITAL ONE MILLION DOLLARS.

Directors.  
KWOK ACHONG, Merchant.  
FANG YIM, Merchant.  
HO SAM, of Hop Yik Chan, Merchant.  
LOO YING, of the Yik On Hong, Merchant.  
LEE SING, of Lai Hing Fim, Merchant.  
CHOW CHANG, Merchant.  
CHOW CHAN, Merchant.

Manager—HO AMEL.

POLICIES against FIRE granted on  
BUILDINGS and on GOODS stored  
therein at CURRENT RATES, subject to  
Discount of 20% on the Premium.

OFFICE, No. 8 and 9, Praya West.  
Hongkong, August 23, 1877. an23

YANGTZE INSURANCE ASSO-  
CIATION.

CAPITAL—Fully Paid-up.....Tls. 420,000  
PERMANENT RESERVE....." 200,000  
SPECIAL RESERVE FUND....." 104,000  
Total Capital and accumula-  
tions this date.....Tls. 724,000

Directors:  
F. B. FORBES, Esq., Chairman.  
M. P. EVANS, Esq. C. LUCAS, Esq.  
K. KERR, Esq. W. MEYERINK, Esq.

Secretaries:  
Messrs. RUSSELL & Co., Shanghai.  
London Bankers:  
Messrs. BARRING BROTHERS & Co.

Agencies in:  
HONGKONG, LONDON, SAN FRANCISCO, and  
the Principal Ports in the East.

POLICIES granted on Marine Risks to  
all parts of the World, at current  
rates.

Subject to a charge of 12% for interest  
on Shareholders' Capital, ALL THE PROFITS  
OF THE UNDERWRITING BUSINESS will be  
annually distributed among all Contribu-  
tors of Business in proportion to the  
premium paid by them.

RUSSELL & Co.,  
Agents.

Hongkong, May 10, 1878. ool

CHINESE INSURANCE COMPANY,  
(LIMITED.)

NOTICE.

POLICIES granted at current rates on  
Marine Risks to all parts of the World,  
in accordance with the Company's Articles  
of Association, Two Thirds of the Profits  
are distributed annually to Contributors,  
whether Shareholders or not, in proportion  
to the net amount of Premium contributed  
by each, the remaining third being carried  
to Reserve Fund.

OLYMPANT & Co.,  
General Agents.

Hongkong, April 17, 1878.

ROYAL INSURANCE COMPANY.

THE Undersigned, Agents for the above  
Company, are prepared to grant In-  
surances at current rates.

MELOHERS & Co.,  
Agents, Royal Insurance Company.

Hongkong, October 27, 1874.

LANCASHIRE INSURANCE  
COMPANY.

(FIRE AND LIFE).

CAPITAL—Two Millions Sterling.

THE Undersigned are prepared to grant  
Policies against the Risk of FIRE on  
Buildings or on Goods stored therein, on  
Goods on board Vessels and on Hulls of  
Vessels in Harbour, at the usual Rates  
and Conditions.

Proposals for Life Assurances will be re-  
ceived, and transmitted to the Directors  
for their decision.  
If required, protection will be granted on  
first class Lives up to £1000 on a Single  
Life.

For Rates of Premiums, terms of pro-  
posals, or any other information, apply to  
ARNOLD, KARBURG & Co.,  
Agents, Hongkong & Canton.

Hongkong, January 4, 1867.

## Merchant Vessels in Hongkong Harbour.

Exclusive of late Arrivals and Departures reported to-day.

Vessel's Name	Anchor No.	Captain	Flag and Rig.	Tons.	Date of Arrival.	Consignee or Agents.	Destination.	Remarks.
Steamers								
Adria	5 c	Stewart	Brit. str.	781	July 16	P. & O. S. N. Co.	Marseilles, &c.	Mail, 20th
Amazona	5 c	Nomdedeu	Foh. str.	2650	July 17	Messageries Maritimes	Shanghai	To-day
Amoy	4 c	Peters	Brit. str.	814	July 17	Slomson & Co.		For Sale
Argentine	3 c	Barnett	Brit. str.	915	April 22	Turner & Co.		
Bertha	2 c	Langley	Brit. str.	1421	June 18	Meyer & Co.		Laid up
Bombay	2 h		Brit. str.	749	Feb. 12	Kwok Achong		
Camosa	2 h		Brit. str.	937	Oct. 2	Kwok Achong		
Cassandra	4 c	Langer	Ger. str.	537	July 15	Wm. Pustan & Co.	Saigon	
Charlton	2 h	Johnson	Brit. str.	736	July 17	G. R. Stevens & Co.	Australian Ports	3rd port.
China	4 h	Berry	Amer. str.	8836	July 14	P. M. S. S. Co.	Y'hama & S. F. do	20th; 3 p.m.
Conquest	3 h	Scott	Brit. str.	317	July 16	Kwong Lee Yuen	Holbow & Halphong	
Dale	3 c	Thompson	Brit. str.	654	July 10	Yuen Fat Hong	Bangkok	22nd inst.
Douglas	3 h		Brit. str.	864	July 12	Douglas Laprak & Co.	Coast Ports	To-day
Fame	6 h	Stapan	Brit. str.	117		H. K. & W'poo Dock Co.		Tug Flying
Filpatrick	5 c	Humphries	Brit. str.	597	April 18	Gee Chong Hong		12 noon Dock
Glenfirth	5 c	Graham	Brit. str.	1411	July 12	Jardine, Matheson & Co.	Shanghai	20th inst.
H. O. Orsted	5 c	Stenson	Dan. str.	337	July 14	N. T. Co.		Ab'sess Doc
Haikong	5 c	Goode	Brit. str.	277	July 18	Douglas Laprak & Co.	Amoy and Tamsui	
Japan	5 c	Smidt	Brit. str.	1865	July 4	David Sassoon, Sons & Co.	S'pore, Calcutta, &c.	To-day
Kienchow	5 c		Brit. str.			Kwok Achong	Coast Ports	Coast Dec
Lorne	5 c	McQuilloch	Brit. str.	1036	July 1	Melchers & Co.		
Madras	5 c	Richardson	Brit. str.	1079	June 30	Melchers & Co.		
Maryanne	2 h	Yun Chun Yen	Anna str.		June 20			
Mexa	2 h	Morney	Brit. str.	684	July 6	Landstein & Co.		
Nema	2 h	Walker	Brit. str.	608	June 28	Kwok Achong	Swatow	Coast Dec
Paragua	4 c	Gil	Span. str.	402	July 15	Samedos & Co.	Salgon	K'loon Dock
Quinta	4 c	W'rang	Ger. str.	874	July 12	May Seng		To-day
Ses Gull	5 c	Robert	Amer. str.	48	July 18	H. E. Ray		
Thales	5 c	Poock	Brit. str.	878	July 14	Douglas Laprak & Co.		
Tibro	5 c	Girard	Foh. str.	1200	July 15	Messageries Maritimes	Yokohama	Mail
Venice	5 c	Rhode	Brit. str.	1271	July 16	Jardine, Matheson & Co.	S'pore, Calcutta, &c.	To-day
West Stanley	4 c	Ashley	Brit. str.	920	July 18	Kwong Wing Shun	S'pore and Peking	27th inst.
Yangtze	5 h	Schultz	Brit. str.	782	June 28	Slomson & Co.	Shanghai	K'loon Dock
Yesso	5 h	Ashton	Brit. str.	559	July 17	Douglas Laprak & Co.	Coast Ports	
Sailing Vessels								
Albert Russell	7 c	Conner	Amer. bge.	762	July 15	Russell & Co.		
Alva	7 c	Port. sh.	Port. sh.	631	July 16	Brandao & Co.		
Anna Bertha	3 h	Peterson	Ger. bge.	468	June 30	Wm. Pustan & Co.	London	
Annie Lowray	4 c	Dale	Brit. bge.	762	May 27	Vogel, Hagedorn & Co.		
Anton Gunther	4 c	Kenny	Ger. bge.	440	July 14	Edward Schellhaas & Co.	Calao	
Arcola	4 c	Purney	Brit. bge.	947	April 24	Carlowitz & Co.		
Athens	3 h	Findlay	Brit. bge.	605	July 15	Captain		
B. van Middelburg	3 h	Blanker	Dutch bge.	628	June 17	Slomson & Co.		
C. L. Pearson	3 h	Swain	Amer. sh. sc.	698	June 11	Vogel, Hagedorn & Co.	New York	
Charlotte Quest	4 h	Lescheur	Brit. bge.	609	June 11	Edward Schellhaas & Co.		
Charlotte Andrews	4 h	Place	Brit. bge.	356	June 19	Rozario & Co.	Melbourne & Sydney	Sand' Hill
Chocola	4 h	Kennett	Brit. bge.	284	July 11	Ohlneiss		
Cooran	6 c	Cromwell	Amer. sh.	139	July 18	W. E. Ray		
Dirigo	7 c	Staples	Amer. bge.	884	July 14	Butterfield & Swire		
Emu	2 h	Asala	Brit. bge.	773	July 11	Kin-tye-kong	Yokohama	Wanchai
Fair Leader	2 h	Morris	Brit. bge.	497	June 30	Russell & Co.		
Federick	2 h	Kernmode	Brit. bge.	599	May 20	Norton & Co.	Newchwang	
Friedrich	4 h	Wulff	Ger. bge.	598	May 20	Wm. Pustan & Co.		
Friedrich	3 h	Hoyer	Ger. sh. sc.	549	July 11	Wieler & Co.		
Golia	1 h	Dentzau	Siam bge.	1853	June 19	Captain		
Highlander	1 h	Hutobinson	Amer. sh.	1852	June 19	Russell & Co.		
Hiram Emery	7 c	Wyman	Amer. bge.	709	July 12	Douglas Laprak & Co.		
Hopetun	7 c	Doncaster	Brit. sh.	218	July 14	Vogel, Hagedorn & Co.	Honolulu	
Jean Pierre	4 c	Legasse	Foh. bge.	607	June 18	P. & O. S. N. Co.	San Francisco	P. & O. W
Josephus	4 c	Rogers	Amer. sh.	1470	July 15	Carlowitz & Co.		
Julie	2 c	Launay	Foh. bge.	504	July 6	Blizley & Co.		
Kate Tatham	4 c	Pittkethly	Brit. bge.	667	June 8	Vogel, Hagedorn & Co.	London	
Kenton	1 h	Colvin	Brit. bge.	435	July 10	Wieler & Co.		
Kirkland	2 c	Colledge	Brit. bge.	860	June 19	Meyer & Co.	San's Islands	
Ledore	2 c	Jones	Brit. sh.	438	July 11	Carlowitz & Co.		
Louis Eugene	3 h	Menard	Foh. bge.	330	July 10	Wieler & Co.		
Mangrove	2 c	Thompson	Brit. bge.	500	June 20	Rozario & Co.		
Margaria of Argyle	3 h	McKeon	Brit. bge.	604	July 13	Carlowitz & Co.		
Mario Louise	4 h	Gruiboux	Foh. bge.	328	July 10	O. & S. S. Co.		
Mary Blair	7 c	Riddle	Brit. bge.	489	July 11	Wm. Pustan & Co.		
Mexour	4 h	Storgwardt	Ger. bge.	437	June 17	Meyer & Co.		
Minna	4 h	Dau	Ger. bge.	437	June 17	Meyer & Co.		
Moss Glen	4 h	Carson	Brit. bge.	549	May 20	Landstein & Co.	London	
Nyresink	4 h	Barstow	Amer. bge.	724	May 24	Russell & Co.	San Francisco	
Nyranan Court	3 h	Shewan	Brit. bge.	884	June 10	Turner & Co.	Cape Town	
Nyranan	3 h	Garrick	Brit. sh.	790	May 16	Vogel, Hagedorn & Co.	Foochow	
Ocean Racer	3 c	Simpson	Brit. sh. sc.	201	July 5	Turner & Co.		
Ocean	3 c	Windhorst	Ger. bge.	705	July 5	Melchers & Co.		
Per Ardua	4 c	Taggart	Brit. bge.	769	June 14	Meyer & Co.		
Pheton	3 h	Schoel	Brit. bge.	576	July 12	Wieler & Co.		
Philip Fitzpatrick	3 h	Phelan	Amer. bge.	582	July 14	Ohlneiss		
Philippine	3 h	Southwood	Brit. bge.	801	July 14	Captain		
Princess Saraphi	3 h	Munchau	Siam. bge.	454	July 12	Carlowitz & Co.		
Queen of the Seas	1 h	Harrison	Brit. bge.	442	July 12	Order		
Rideman	3 h	Bishop	Brit. bge.	718	June 8	Rozario & Co.	Manila	
San Lorenzo	4 c	Vidarte	Span. bg.	250	July 16	Armedes & Co.		
Sarah Bell	7 c	Ditchburn	Brit. bge.	612	July 12	Arnhold, Karberg & Co.		
Silas Fish	2 c	Williams	Amer. bge.	792	May 12	Vogel, Hagedorn & Co.	Bangkok	Clear
Sine	3 c	Sorenson	Ger. bge.	466	July 3	Wm. Pustan & Co.	San Francisco	
Sir Charles Napier	3 c	French	Brit. sh.	161	May 27	Vogel, Hagedorn & Co.	London	
Sir Harry Parkes	2 c	Chapman	Brit. sh.	161	May 22	Meyer & Co.		
Sontag	3 c	Simmons	Amer. bge.	1004	June 21	Meyer & Co.		
St. Ideus	3 h	Durand	Foh. bge.	1888	July 12	Carlowitz & Co.		
Sumatra	3 h	Clough	Amer. sh.	1090	Sept. 5	Russell & Co.		
Summer R. Mead	4 c	Dixon	Amer. sh.	1117	July 16	Insurance Company		
Ta Hong Kong	1 c	Buttmann	Siam. sh.	636	July 6	Yuen Fat Hong		
Tartar	3 h	Kaemena	Ger. bg.	258	July 16	Melchers & Co.		
Teodora	4 c	Lopez	Span. bge.	627	July 14	Russell & Co.		
The Frederick	4 c	Koop	Brit. sh.	812	July 2	Order		Sand's
The Tweed	7 c	Bice	Brit. sh.	1745	July 16	Gibby, Livingston & Co.		
Tokata	4 h	Harrison	Brit. bge.	805	June 20	Rozario & Co.	Victoria (V.L)	1st port
Tyburnia	4 h	Goldor	Brit. bge.	948	June 19	Olyphant & Co.	San Francisco	
Wm. H. Deitz	3 c	Kindcott	Amer. sh. sc.	487	June 4	Vogel, Hagedorn & Co.		
WHAMPOA								
Ondor		Gidley	Ger. bg.	241	June 29	Wieler & Co.	Tientsin	
Julian		Oestmann	Ger. sh. sc.	187	July 17	Wm. Pustan & Co.	Honolulu & Calao	
Perusia		McKirdy	Ital. str.	3800	May 4	Olyphant & Co.		
CANTON								
Cass		Cass	Brit. str.	761	July 18	Slomson & Co.	Shanghai	